

14F-1 Bookkeeping

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Exercise 4F-2. VCGen for Let [6 points]. In class we gave the following rules for the (backward) verification condition generation of assignment and let:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{VC}(c_1; c_2, B) &= \text{VC}(c_1, \text{VC}(c_2, B)) \\ \text{VC}(x := e, B) &= [e/x] B \\ \text{VC}(\text{let } x = e \text{ in } c, B) &= [e/x] \text{VC}(c, B) \end{aligned}$$

That rule for let has a bug. Give a correct rule for let.

$$\text{VC}(\text{let } x = e \text{ in } c, B) = [x/oldX]([e/x]\text{VC}(c, [oldX/x]B))$$

Assume *oldX* is not used in *c* in: `let $x = e$ in c .`

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Exercise 4F-3. VCGen Mistakes [6 points]. Given $\{A\}c\{B\}$ we desire that $A \implies \text{VC}(c, B) \implies \text{WP}(c, B)$. We say that our VC rules are *sound* if $\models \{\text{VC}(c, B)\} c \{B\}$. Demonstrate the unsoundness of the buggy **let** rule by giving the following six things:

1. a command c and
 $c = \{\mathbf{let} \ x = 2 \ \mathbf{in} \ y := x + 2\}$
2. a post-condition B and
 $B = \{x < y\}$
3. a state σ such that
 $\sigma = \{x = 5, y = 4\}$
4. $\sigma \models \text{VC}(c, B)$ and
 $\{x = 1, y = 4\} \models \text{VC}(\mathbf{let} \ x = 2 \ \mathbf{in} \ y := x + 2, B)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{VC}(\mathbf{let} \ x = 2 \ \mathbf{in} \ y := x + 2, B) &= \\ [2/x]\text{VC}(y := x + 2, B) &= \\ [2/x]([x + 2/y]B) &= \\ [2/x]([x + 2/y]x < y) &= \\ [2/x](x < x + 2) &= \\ (2 < 2 + 2) & \end{aligned}$$

$$\{x = 5, y = 4\} \models (2 < 2 + 2)$$

5. $\langle c, \sigma \rangle \Downarrow \sigma'$ but
 $\langle \mathbf{let} \ x = 2 \ \mathbf{in} \ y := x + 2, \{x = 5, y = 4\} \rangle \Downarrow \{x = 5, y = 4\}$
 x is bound to the value 2 in the expression $y := x + 2$, yielding the value of 4 for y in state σ' . However, x is only bound to 2 during the execution of the body of **let**. Thus, in the final evaluated σ' x remains of value 5 as it was not changed from the starting value in σ .
6. $\sigma' \not\models B$.
 $\{x = 5, y = 4\} \not\models \{x < y\}$

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Exercise 4F-4. Axiomatic Do-While [6 points]. Write a sound and complete Hoare rule for `do c while b`. This statement has the standard semantics (e.g., `c` is executed at least once, before `b` is tested).

$$\frac{\vdash \{A\} c \{C\} \quad \vdash \{C\} \text{ while } b \text{ do } c \{B\}}{\vdash \{A\} \text{ do } c \text{ while } b \{B\}}$$

Submission. Turn in the formal component of the assignment as a single PDF document via the `gradescope` website. Your name and Michigan email address must appear on the first page of your PDF submission but may not appear anywhere else.

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